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Rustburg, Virginia

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ORDERING

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SEEDS ARE POSTPAID on orders of \$1.00 and over. Smaller orders, for no less than 3 packets, add 15c to cover handling. If you wish seeds sent First Class Mail (or Air Mail) include extra to cover postage. Seeds are shipped at any time during the year (with fresh, current crops supplied) except during **December**.

PLANT PRICES NET, F. O. B. OUR NURSERY. SHIPPING CHARGES AS FOLLOWS:

EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI—\$1.25 for 8 plants or less.

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The above rates do not apply to the following Western States:

California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Nevada, Utah, New Mexico, Colorado or Arizona. To these areas, we will ship via Parcel Post Special Delivery during March and October only.

Shipping Charges: \$2.25 for 8 plants; extra plants at 10c each.

All shipping charges are based on hardy field grown stock and on sturdy potted plants of the tender perennials, plus a small fee for packing and delivery to the post office.

SHIPPING DATES FOR PLANTS, except to Far West:

SPRING—March 10th until June 1st.

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BUSINESS TERMS

This list cancels prices in all previous catalogs. Our prices of both seeds and plants are subject to change without notice. If an order is received from an obsolete catalog we will make adjustments only if necessary and refund on the more expensive stocks, in case we are unable to supply. If you have an out-of-date Price List we suggest you write for a current one before ordering. Our annual catalog is sent to active customers only.

ORDER EARLY. Give alternate choices of plants, please, to save time in handling your order; more expensive plants may be substituted at no extra cost to the customer. Due to the current popularity of herbs as a whole, and to a large demand for our herb plants in particular, some varieties are in very limited supply for Spring 1959. Our seed crop is ample, for the most part, because we had a good growing season and have an irrigation system as well as an ideal climate for raising the wide variety we offer. Our nursery is certified by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

HERB SEEDS are our specialty. We are not responsible for the results of their growth, however, since we have no control over the various factors involved.

HERB PLANTS are not guaranteed nor do we replace plants, as we have no control over treatment during transit or care after arrival.

All claims for **errors** in filling order must be made promptly.

MR. and MRS. BRUCE G. CHALFIN

Owners and Growers

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PRICE LIST OF SEEDS AND PLANTS

Spring and Fall 1959

Symbols: (A) Annual; (B) Biennial; (P) Perennial;

(T) Tall; (M) Medium; (L) Low; (GC) Groundcover.

ACANTHUS mollis (P) Pink flower, June (M) Plants 65c; Seed 50c.

ALCHEMILLA vulgaris (P)—Lady's Mantle. Handsome scalloped leaf, yellow flower all season (L) Plants \$1.00; Seed 50c.

AGRIMONIA eupatoria (P)—Agrimony. Pretty foliage, bright yellow flower, May & June (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

AJUGA reptans (P) Blue flower, April (GC) Plants 50c; Seed 50c.

ALLIUMS—Bulb forming herbs for culinary uses:

Chives (P) Lavender flower, April (M) Plants 40c; Seed 20c.

Dwarf Chives (P) Paler flower, narrow leaf (L) Plants 45c.

Dwarf Garlic (P)—"Garlic-Chives." Fine flavor in leaf and bulb; pretty white flower, August (L) Plants 40c; Seed 20c.

Giant Garlic (P)—"Rocamboles." Bulbs, bulbils & young leaf are all edible (M) Plants 40c each or 2/75c; Bulbils 20c.

Leek (B) Huge round flower (T) Plants 45c or 2/75c; Seed 15c.

Onion (P)—Egyptian or Tree Onion. For year around eating (M) Plants 40c; Bulbs in August & September: 6/40c; 12/60c, Postpaid.

Shallot (P, B or A) The Queen of the Onions, mild and delicious (L) Plants 35c or 3/\$1.00; Seed 50c (scarce); Bulbs FALL 12/50c.

AMBROSIA: C. Botrys (A) Fine arrangement material (L) Seed 15c.

ANGELICA (P & B) White Flower, April (T) Plants 50c; Seed 15c.

ANISE (A) White flower and culinary seed (L) Seed 15c.

ANISE HYSSOP: Agastache mexicana (P or B) May be grown as an annual; quick to bloom from seed, purple flower (T) Seed 15c.

ARMERIA maritima (P) Pink flower, May & June (L) Seed 20c.

ARTEMISIA—Also known as the Wormwoods:

absinthium (P) Gray Wormwood (T) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

albula (P)—Silver King (T) Plants 60c.

annua (A)—Sweet Wormwood or "Lad's Love" (T) Seed 15c.

canariensis (P) Rare, lovely foliage (L) Plants 75c; Seed 25c.

lactiflora (P)—Ghost-plant (T) Creamy sprays all season for fresh or dried arrangements. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

pontica (P)—Roman Wormwood. (L) Silvery, fernlike leaf. Plants 45c.

vulgaris (P)—Common Wormwood. Green leaf (T) Plants 45c; Seed 20c.

Oriental Wormwood (P) Unidentified botanically, probably from China. Unusual silvery, silky foliage; yellow flower (T) Seed 30c.

BASIL—All annuals. Seed only:

Green Leaf—Curly or Lettuce-leaf, 20c; Dwarf or Small-leaf, 25c. Holy, 15c; Italian, 15c; Lemon, 15c; Sweet or Common, 15c.

Purple Leaf—Curly, 25c; Dwarf, 40c; Plantation Cluster, 35c; Sweet Purple, 25c.

BASIL THYME: *Satureja nepeta* (P) Mint-like foliage, lavender flower, July and August (L) Plants 45c; Seed 20c.

BEDSTRAW: *Galium verum* (P) Low ferny leaf, showy yellow flower from May till July (GC) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

BETONY: *Stachys hirta* (P)—Gray Betony. Downy leaf, lavender flower, June (M) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

S. grandiflora (P)—Green Betony or Betonica. Smooth green leaf, showy mauve flower, May & June (M) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

S. olympica (lanata)—Lamb's Ears or Woolly Betony (P) Low silvery-white leaf which is evergreen. Plants 45c; Seed 20c.

BORAGE (A) Culinary leaf, blue flower (M) seed 15c.

BURNET, Salad: *Sanquisorba minor* (P) Plants 35c, 3/\$1.00; Seed 20c.

S. agrimoides (B)—Spanish Burnet. Pink flower. July. Seed 20c.

CALAMINT: *C. alpina* (A) Pungent leaf, pink flower (L) Seed 20c.

CAMOMILE: *Anthemis nobilis* (P)—Roman Camomile. For herb tea; white daisy flower, July (GC) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

Golden Camomile (P) No culinary use; yellow flower (M) Seed 20c.

Sweet or German Camomile (A) For herb tea (M) Seed 15c.

CAMPHORPLANT (P) Like a low Costmary. Not showy. Seed 25c.

CAMPION: *Lychnis coronaria* (B) Gray leaf, rose or white flower, May or June (M) Seed 20c.

CARNATION (P) Gray leaf, deep red flower, June (L) Seed 25c.

CASSIA *marilandica* (P)—Senna. Medicinal root; seed used in pickling spices. Yellow flower, June (T) Plants 50c; Seed 25c.

CATNIP (P) Gray leaf, white flower (M) Plants 45c; Seed 15c.

CICELY, Sweet: *Myrrhis odorata* (P) Called perennial chervil. White flower, April. Sow seed so it will freeze. Seed 25c.

CHERVIL (A) Sow Spring or Fall (M) Seed 20c.

COLUMBINE (P) Short-spurred, mixed colors (M) Seed 20c.

COMFREY: *Symphytum officinale* (P) Large leaf, pink flower, June. Medicinal root (M) Plants 50c.

- CORIANDER** (A) Edible seed; pink flower (M) Seed 15c.
- COSTMARY** (P) Fragrant, edible leaf (T) Plants 50c; Seed 25c.
- CRESS** (A or B)—Winter Cress or "Creasy Salad" (M) Seed 15c.
- CROWN DAISY:** *Chrysanthemum coronarium* (A) Edible root; white daisy flower quick to bloom from seed (L) Seed 15c.
- DIANTHUS**—The old-timey Pinks belong in herb gardens:
- D. *arenarius* (P) Fringed Pink. White flower. June (L) Seed 25c.
 - D. *caryophyllus* (P)—Clove Pink. Gray leaf, pink or white fragrant fringed flower, April-July (L) Plants 45c; Seed 15c.
 - D. *deltoides* (P)—Maiden Pink. Green leaf (GC) Seed 25c.
 - D. *knappi* (P) Green leaf, yellow flower, May-July. Seed 35c.
- Rose Cushion Dianthus (P) Flat gray mats, the lowest variety, make charming groundcover. Wee flower, May & June. Seed 35c.
- Sweet William (B) Compact dwarf form, good colors (L) Seed 20c.
- DIGITALIS** *purpurea* (B)—Foxglove. Mixed colors (T) Seed 20c.
- D. *lutea* (P)—Yellow Foxglove (M) Seed 25c.
- DILL** (A) Culinary seed and foliage (T) Seed 15c.
- ELECAMPANE:** *Inula helenium* (P) Scented root; yellow flower, June (T) Plants 60c; Seed 20c.
- FENNELFLOWER:** *Nigella sativa* (A)—Black Cumin or Black Caraway. Edible leaf and seed, blue flower (L) Seed 20c.
- FENNEL**, Bronze (P) Very showy leaf, yellow flower (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- Common or Green Fennel (P) Culinary seed (T) Plants 50c; Seed 15c.
- FENUGREEK:** *Trigonella foenum-graecum* (A) Peppery edible leaf, seed used in pickling spices (L) Seed 25c.
- FEVERFEW**, Common (B) White flower, June (M) Seed 20c.
- Dwarf Feverfew (A) White and yellow flower (L) Seed 25c.
- FLAX:** *Linum perenne* (P) Blue flower (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- Dwarf Yellow Flax: *flavum* (P) Scalloped leaf (L) Seed 25c.
- GAILLARDIA** *grandiflora* (P) Large flowers all season, fine colors in variety, mixed (M) Seed 20c.
- GOLDENROD**, Fragrant: *S. odorata* (P) Gold flower (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- HELIOTROPE**, Garden: *Valeriana officinalis* (P)—Valerian. Scented root; pink flower, June (T) Plants 75c; Seed 25c.
- Jupiter's Beard or False Heliotrope: *Centranthus* (P) Seed 25c.
- HOLLYHOCK** (P) Pink flower, May-July (T) Seed 15c.

HOREHOUND (P) Gray leaf used medicinally (M) Plants 50c;
Seed 20c.

HYSSOP: *H. officinalis* (P) Blue or white flower (M) Seed 25c.

Dwarf Hyssop: *H. aristatus* (P) English variety (L) Seed 35c.

INDIGO: *Baptisia* (P)—Blue or False Indigo (T) Seed 20c.

IRIS, Japanese Roof: *I. tectorum* (P) Very showy large flower, blue-violet or white, May & June (M) Plants 60c.

IVY, English: *Hedera helix* (P) Very small leaf, dense growth, from Westminster Abbey; unusual type. Plants 75c.

LAVENDER—Desirable and essential plants for any garden:

Annual Lavender: *Lavandula multifida*—Fernleaf (L) Seed 25c

English or vera (P) Narrow gray leaf, lavender flower all season
(T) Plants 60c and \$1.25; Seed 20c.

Carroll (P) Narrow leaf, good flowers (M) Plants \$1.00; Seed 25c.

Dutch (P) Broadleaf gray foliage (M) Plants \$1.00.

Hidcote (P) Compact narrow gray leaf, purple flower (L) Seed 50c.

Munstead (P) Narrowleaf semi-dwarf growth. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

Pink: *rosea* (P) Narrow leaf, early pink flower (M) Seed 35c.

Purple Dwarf: *nana atropurpurea* (P) very low rare type with narrow leaf and deep purple flower all season. Seed 50c.

White Dwarf: *alba* (P) Silvery narrow leaf (L) Seed 30c.

Twickle Purple (P) Narrow gray leaf, deep flower (M) Seed 20c.

L. latifolia (P)—Spanish Lavender. Wide gray leaf, sweet flower on tall stems in late summer. Easy from seed. Seed 25c.

L. stoechas (P)—French Lavender. Silvery leaf, unusual flower in bloom over a long period. Plants \$1.00; Seed 30c.

L. viridis (P)—Green lavender. The only green leaf lavender with white flower. Hardy South only (M) Plants \$1.00.

LAURUS *nobilis* (P) Bayleaf. Hardy in South. Plants \$2.00.

LEMON BALM: *Melissa* (P) Leaf for tea (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

LILY, Blackberry: *Belamcanda chinensis* (P) Fan-shaped leaf, orange flower in July. (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

Japanese Canna (P) Good foliage, showy red flower and nice pods for winter bouquets. Tender root (T) Seed 20c.

LOVAGE: *Levisticum officinale* (P) Edible leaf. Plants 75c; Seed 30c.

MALLOW, English: *Malva alcea* (P) Felted gray leaf, white flower in June till August (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

Japanese: *M. puchella* (P) Green leaf, pink flower striped with purple all summer (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

- MARJORAM**, Pot: *Origanum vulgare* (P) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
Sweet: *Majorana hortensis* (P) Not hardy. Plants 50c; Seed 15c.
- MAZUS** reptans (P) Showy groundcover for part shade; many blue-violet flowers in early Spring. Plants 2/60c. or 4/\$1.00.
- MIGNONETTE** (A) Sweet-smelling flowers (L) Seed 20c.
- MINTS**—Field grown clumps and runners are supplied:
Applemint, Golden: *gentilis*. Showy leaf (L) Plants 50c.
Applemint, Redstem. Green leaf, purple flower (T) Plants 45c.
Australian: *sylvestris*. Gray foliage (M) Plants 50c.
Curly-leaf: *crispa*. For mint juleps (T) Plants 50c; Seed 25c.
Curly Wideleaf, variation. Frilled foliage (M) Plants 60c.
Egyptian: *niliacea*. Gray foliage (T) Plants 45c.
Orange: *citrata*. Fragrant reddish leaf (L) Plants 45c.
Peppermint, Common (M) Plants 50c; Seed 30c.
Peppermint, Japanese: *piperscens* (T) Unusual type. Plants 75c.
Pineapple. Pretty variegated foliage (M) Plants 45c.
Spearmint: *spicata*. For mint sauce (M) Plants 45c.
- MONARDA**—Beebalm, or Bergamot; all tall perennials:
Cambridge-scarlet: *didyma*. Many blooms. Plants 60c; Seed 30c.
Pink: *didyma*. Flesh-pink flower, July. Plants 90c; Seed 30c.
Purple: *didyma*. Wine-colored flower, July. Plants 50c.
Rose: *didyma*. Fine shade of deep pink, July. Plants 90c.
Spotted: *punctata*. Yellow flower, August. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.
White: *fistulosa alba*. Tiers of white flowers, July. Plants 90c.
- NEPETA**: *Faassenii* (P) Low gray foliage, blue flower. Plants 60c.
N. Mussinii (P) Lavender flower, April-June (L) Seed 20c.
N. tuberosa (A) Quick to flower from seed (M) Seed 20c.
- ORACH** (A)—Redleaf Spinach. A showy culinary (T) Seed 20c.
- OREGANO**: *Origanum prismaticum*—Greek Oregano. Plants 50c; Seed 30c.
O. virens—Spanish Oregano. Not as hardy as above. Seed 50c.
Plantation Variation. Not reliably hardy. Plants 60c; Seed 40c.
- ORRIS ROOT** (P) Fragrant root, pale flower in June. Plants 45c.
- PARSLEY**, Italian (B) Large leaf with best flavor (T) Seed 15c.
- PELARGONIUM**—Scented Geraniums, all tender perennials:
Apple. Round green leaf, white flower (L) Seed only, 50c.
Attar of Roses. Green cut leaf, pink flower (M) Plants 60c.
Peppermint. Woolly gray leaf, pungent scent (L) Plants 75c.
Silverleaf Rose. Unusual leaf, pink flower (M) Plants 75c.
Ivy-leaf (not scented) assorted colors (L) Plants 75c.
- PENNYROYAL**, American (A) Shiny leaf, pink flower (L) Seed 15c.
English (P) Purple flower, July (GC) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

- PERILLA:** *P. frutescens crispa* (A) Aromatic red leaf (M) Seed 15c.
- PINKROOT:** *Spigellia marilandica* (P) Showy red flower, May. Seed 30c.
- POPPY,** Annual: *P. somniferum*—Opium Poppy. Pink flower (T) Seed 15c.
Plume: *Macleaya cordata* (P) Pink flower, June (T) Seed 20c.
Prickly: *Argemone platyceras* (A) White flower (M) Seed 25c.
- PRUNELLA:** *P. vulgaris lacineata* (P)—Self Heal or Heal-all. Showy large clusters of purple flowers, May-July (GC) Seed 30c.
- PYCNANTHEMUM** *tenuifolium* (P)—Mountain Mint. Not a true mint. White flower, July, dries gray for bouquets (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- PYRETHRUM** (P)—Painted Daisy. Rose flower, June (M) Seed 20c.
- RAMIE:** *Boehmeria nivea* (P)—Oriental Silk Plant. Interesting green leaf and yellow flower, August (T) Plants 60c; Seed 20c.
- RAMPION:** *Campanula rapunculus* (B) Edible root, blue flower. Seed 20c.
- ROQUETTE:** *Eruca sativa* (A) Edible leaf, white flower (M) Seed 15c.
- ROSEMARY,** Common (P) Edible evergreen leaf, blue flower, Spring and Fall (T) Plants 60c and \$1.25; Seed 25c.
Dwarf: *prostratus* (P) Graceful trailing foliage, blue flower summer and winter (pot for cold weather) Plants 75c and \$1.50.
Other varieties at nursery: Pink, white, narrow leaf, Forrestii.
- RUE,** Common: *Ruta graveolens* (P) Blue-green leaf, yellow flower in May till July (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
Fringed: *R. montana* (P) Beautiful feathery leaf and yellow flower, June-August (L) Plants 75c; Seed 35c.
- SAFFRON** (A)—Safflower. For dried arrangements (M) Seed 15c.
- SALVIA**—The following sages add much to the herb garden:
Autumn Sage: *S. greggii* (P) Fragrant shrubby evergreen, bright pink flower all season (M) Plants 75c and \$1.25; Seed 25c.
Blue Sage: *farinacea* (P)—Mealycup Sage (T) Seed 20c.
Canary: *canariensis* (P) Gray leaf, rose flower. Plants 75c; Seed 50c.
Clary: *Sclarea* (B) Pink flower, June (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
Clary, Dwarf: *Horminum* (A) Exquisite floral leaves shaded purple or rosy pink. Quick from seed (L) Seed 20c.
Crimson: *coccinea* (A) Quick to bloom from seed (M) Seed 15c.
Garden: *officinalis* (P) Culinary Sage. Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
Meadow: *pratensis* (P) Purple flower, June (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

- Pineapple: *rutilans* (P) Pretty red flower, August till frost; not hardy North (T) Plants 60c; Seed 80c. (Scarce).
- Rose Scented: *Dorisii* (P) Sweet leaf—an intermix of fruit scent and rose petals—for potpourri. Not hardy. Plants 75c.
- Silver: *argentea* (B) Very showy white leaf, white flower (L) Seed 25c.
- Velvet Sage: *leucantha* (P) Long sprays of velvety purple flowers from August until frost. Not hardy (T) Plants 75c.
- Vervain Sage: *verbenaca* (P) Blue flower, July (L) Seed 25c.
- SANTOLINA**—Evergreen foliage plants of great beauty:
- Fernleaf Gray *Santolina*: *tomentosa*. Rare type (L) Plants 75c.
- Fernleaf Green: *pinnata*. Excellent variety (L) Plants 75c.
- Gray: *chamaecyparissus*—Lavender Cotton. Leaf has fruity scent, yellow flower in June (M) Plants 60c.
- Green: *virens*. Pungent pretty leaf (M) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.
- SAVORY**, Summer: *Satureja hortensis* (A) Edible leaf. Seed 15c.
- Winter: *S. montana* (P) Evergreen (L) Plants 60c; Seed 20c.
- SESAME (A)**—*Bene*. Pink flower, culinary seed (T) Seed 15c.
- SKIRRET**: *Sium sisarum* (P) Edible root, white flower in July (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- SMALLAGE**: *Apium dulce* (A or B)—Wild Celery. Leaf and Seed are wonderful in foods (L) Seed 20c.
- SORREL**: *Rumex scutatus* (P) Henna flower, June (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- SOUTHERNWOOD**, “Lady’s Maid” (P) Camphor-scented leaf to use in closets as a moth repellent (M) Plants 50c.
- “Old Man” (P) Milder scent than above (T) Plants 60c.
- SWEET FLAG**: *Acorus calamus* (P) Fragrant root, green spadix flower in June (M) Plants 50c; Seed 25c.
- SWEET ROCKET** (P)—“Dame’s Violet.” Lilac flower (T) Seed 15c.
- SWEET WOODRUFF**: *Asperula odorata* (P) For the May wine bowl; white flower in April (GC) Plants 65c.
- TANSY**, Common (P) Yellow flower (T) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.
- Fernleaf (P) Outstanding foliage for the arranger; yellow flower in late summer (M) Plants 60c.
- TARRAGON** (P) French good-flavored variety (M) Plants 75c.
- TEASEL**: *Dipsacus fullonum* (B)—Fuller’s Teasel (T) Seed 20c.
- D. sylvestris* (B)—Common Teasel. Lavender flower, June. (Both teasels used for dried bouquets) Plants 40c; Seed 15c.

TEUCRIUM—These Germanders decorate any type of garden:

Creeping Germander: *chamaedrys* (P) Evergreen glossy leaf, pink flower in May till July (GC) Plants 50c; Seed 25c.

Dwarf Germander: *prostratum* (P) Compact shiny shrublet, pink flower in May and June (L) Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

Hedge Germander: *lucidum* (P) Shiny leaf. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

Persian or Purple Germander: *hircanicum* (P) Delightful almost everblooming purple flower (M) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

Sage Germander: *scorodonium* (P) White flower, May (M) Seed 20c.

Yellow Germander: *flavum* (P) Yellow flower, May (M) Seed 25c.

THISTLE, Blessed: *Cnicus benedictus* (A or B) Yellow flower which dries well for arrangements (T) Plants 50c; Seed 15c.

THROATWORT: *Trachelium caeruleum* (B or P) Large fluffy flower of pretty blue-violet, June (L) Seed 25c.

THYME—Erect forms for general garden and kitchen use:

English: *vulgaris* (P) Gray-green leaf (L) Plants 50c; Seed 20c.

Fragrant: *fragrantissimus* (P) Gray leaf, flowers in very early Spring. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

French (P) Gray slender leaf; early pink flower. Plants 60c; Seed 20c.

THYME—Perennial varieties for crevice or pathside planting:

cinicinus—Redstem Thyme 3" Green leaf, lilac flower. Plants 45c.

Herba barona—Caraway Thyme 3" Dark green leaf. Plants 50c.

lanicaulis—Woollystem Thyme 4" Gray leaf. Plants 50c; Seed 35c.

Marshallianus 4" Pink flower, May. Plants 50c; Seed 30c.

Nummularius 4" Pink flower, May. Plants 50c; Seed 30c.

Serpyllum albus—White Thyme 2" Mossy mats. Plants 50c; Seed 60c.

Serpyllum angustifolius—Narrowleaf Thyme 3". Plants 50c; Seed 30c.

Serpyllum Annie Hall 2" Green mats, pink flower in May. Plants 50c.

Serpyllum aureus—Golden Thyme 2" Showy foliage. Plants 45c.

Serpyllum carneus—Pink Creeping Thyme 2". Plants 50c; Seed 50c.

Serpyllum coccineus—Crimson Thyme 2". Plants 45c; Seed 50c.

Serpyllum lanuginosus—Hall's Woolly 2" Gray leaf. Plants 50c; Seed 35c.

Serpyllum roseus—Rose Thyme 3" Green leaf. Plants 50c; Seed 50c.

Serpyllum villosus—Velvet Thyme 2" Gray-green leaf. Plants 60c; Seed 60c.

Serpyllum Wild or "Mother-of-Thyme" 4". Plants 35c or 3/\$1.00; Seed 20c.

- THYME**—Prostrate kinds which are showy and aromatic:
Serpyllum citriodorus—Lemon Thyme 8". Good flavor. Plants 50c.
Serpyllum argenteus—Silver Thyme 6". Pretty foliage. Plants 60c.
Serpyllum aureus varigatus—Embroidered or Variegated Lemon Thyme 6". Lemony scent and attractive foliage. Plants 60c.
- TRITOMA** (P) Flowers in spikes, unusual colors (T) Seed 20c.
- VERBASCUM** *phlomoides* (B) Showy spires of yellow for weeks; dried floral stalks for arrangements (T) Plants 50c; Seed 15c.
- VERBENA**, Creeping: *canadensis* (P) Pink flower, Summer (GC) Plants 50c.
- WALLFLOWER**, English (P) Gray leaf, fragrant flower. Plants 45c; Seed 25c.
- WOAD**, Common or Dyer's: *Isatis tinctorius* (B) Plants 45c; Seed 15c.
 Golden Perennial Woad: *glauca* (T) Edible flower. Seed 15c.
- YARROW**, Pink (P) Green leaf (M) Plants 45c; Seed 20c.
 Yellow: *A. fillipendulina* (P) Gray leaf. Plants 60c; Seed 25c.

ADDITIONAL VARIETIES may be purchased at nursery, such as: Ornamental Alliums; Artemisias in wider variety; Dwarf and other Pelargoniums; Peruvian Heliotrope, Lemon Verbena; Salvias; Dianthus; Lavenders; Rosemaries; Teucrums; Thymes; White Violets . . . and others not priced under Plants. Stock, when especially chosen, will be sold according to specimens selected by the customer.

LOCATION OF OUR NURSERY: In Campbell County, south of Lynchburg, not far from U. S. Highway 29. **We are not at Rustburg**, that is only our mailing address; motorists using the new **Carter Glass Bridge** over the James should follow arrows to reach 29 and not 501, which takes you into Rustburg and out of your way. Our Roadsign is on U. S. 29 at the intersection of County Road 622. **From the North:** After passing Bonnie's Lake (on left side of 29) turn RIGHT on 622 until you come to our entrance sign which is on the left side of 622. **From the South:** Turn left on 622; our driveway is about 1 and ½ miles from 29.

HOURS SUGGESTED FOR GARDEN VISITS: Daily from 1 P. M. until 5 P. M., otherwise please notify us in advance. There are several good motels, with restaurants, in our neighborhood, for out of town customers.

PLANTATION PRODUCTS

HERB BOOKS by Eleanor P. Chalfin (Mrs. Bruce Chalfin):

"THE USEFUL HERBS," Price \$1.25, Postpaid.

A labor of love written with zest and perception. Contains vivid descriptions of 75 popular herbs . . . practical pointers, culinary information, herb teas, the culture and harvest of all the household herbs . . . plants to grow for fresh and dried arrangements, for sachets. This has proved to be a valuable up-to-date manual for all herb gardeners. **Published Nov. 1957.**

"HERBS DESCRIBED," Price \$1.50, Postpaid.

Herb collectors, both beginners and experts, have found this book a fine reference for the unusual herbs as well as the usual varieties. The clear, concise descriptions are given with a touch of gaiety to make most palatable reading. More than 200 herbs are included, an index, and garden designs. The First Edition is almost exhausted. **Published Mar. 1955.**

SOWING TABLES for Popular Herbs: 20c each, or 10c with seed order.

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To Scent Closets and Sachets—Lemon Verbena Leaf: small package 25c, large 50c. Orris Root: 25c per package. Vetiver Root: 35c package. Mixed Potpourri: small package 35c, large package 75c. All prepaid on orders of \$1.00 or over.

For winter arrangements—Dried bouquet material is available in interesting variety during the Fall only. Prices, Postpaid: Per Carton \$2.25, \$3.50 or \$5.00.

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